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MERCHANTS WIN  
FREIGHT FIGHT

Interstate Commerce Com-  
mission Decides Against Rail-  
roads' Contentions.

## FREE DELIVERY UPHELD

For Two Years at Least First, Second,  
and Third Class Articles Received  
Without Payment.

The attempt of the Pennsylvania and  
Baltimore and Ohio Railroads to discon-  
tinue the free delivery of freight to the  
merchants of Washington was frustrated  
yesterday by the Interstate Commerce  
Commission.

The ruling was to the effect that for  
at least two years, from August 1 next  
and as far beyond that date as the free  
delivery service is in operation in Bal-  
timore, the railroads should deliver free  
of charge to the merchants of Wash-  
ington articles moving under the first,  
second, and third class rates from points  
in New England, New York City, and  
Philadelphia. The railroads were given  
permission to discontinue in the District  
the free delivery of goods coming under  
the fourth class, as such service is not  
extended in Baltimore.

## Zone Is Extended.

One of the important features of the  
decision was the extension of the free  
delivery zone so as to include Anacostia.  
For several years The Washington  
Herald, on behalf of the residents of  
that community, has been agitating for  
the free delivery service, and the com-  
mission's ruling comes as the final crown  
of success.

The decision declared some of the fea-  
tures of the present service in Bal-  
timore and Washington to be greatly dis-  
criminatory.

"For instance," says the opinion, "the  
merchants of New York City or of Phila-  
delphia may now ship certain property  
to Baltimore or to Washington and re-  
ceive store-door delivery without extra  
expense. The merchants of Pittsburgh,  
Pa.; Cleveland, Ohio; Buffalo, N. Y., or  
even Jersey City, N. J., or Wilmington,  
Del., however, when shipping like prop-  
erty to either Baltimore or Washington  
must pay rates which are substantially  
in line with those charged from New  
England, New York and Philadelphia, and  
must, in addition, pay or sell, upon  
bills which will enable their consignees  
to pay, drayage charges at Baltimore or  
Washington. The fact that the service as  
rendered may provoke other complaints  
or discrimination does not warrant the  
carriers, however, in abandoning the  
service at Washington while continuing  
it at Baltimore. That would merely  
create an advantage for the Baltimore  
merchants as against the Washington  
merchants, without removing the above  
discriminations in favor of New Eng-  
land, New York and Philadelphia."

## Baltimore Given Preference.

With respect to the matter of discrim-  
ination, the opinion says: "In addition to  
the claim as to the amount of the rates,  
the Washington interests point to the  
fact that such delivery service without  
extra charge upon shipments of property  
received from New England, New York  
and Philadelphia, upon rates in sub-  
stantial harmony with those from the  
same points to Washington, is now, and  
for a long time has been, rendered by  
the respondent carriers at Baltimore, Md.  
claim is made that the withdrawal  
of the service at Washington and its  
continuance at Baltimore will cause an  
unlawful discrimination. In the view of  
the Commission this is the only issue in  
this proceeding."

"The testimony shows that the jobbers  
and retailers of Baltimore and Washing-  
ton are in a general competition for a  
considerable volume of trade. The retail  
merchants of each city seek the patron-  
age of the public in the intermediate ter-  
ritory. There is also a considerable pa-  
tronage of Baltimore merchants by shop-  
pers from Washington. Also, jobbing  
houses of the two cities are in competi-  
tion, not only for the patronage of mer-  
chants of Washington and the immediate  
surrounding territory, but also in at  
least one instance for the patronage of  
dealers in paper goods throughout the  
southeastern territory."

## Bridges to Be Crossed.

"The carriers profess to fear that the  
continuance of the delivery service with-  
out extra charge at Washington will pro-  
voke complaints of discrimination on the  
part of Richmond, Va.; Harrisburg, Pa.,  
and other cities. These matters must  
be met when they arise. So long as the  
delivery without extra charge at Bal-  
timore is continued, however, the pos-  
sibility of such complaints will not be re-  
moved. Moreover, the record indicates  
a competition between the merchants of  
Baltimore and the merchants of Wash-  
ington which may or may not be shown  
by the merchants of other cities who may  
hereafter appear."

"The free delivery at Washington,"  
says the opinion in concluding, "has been  
given in the past upon a wider range of  
articles than in Baltimore. The service  
in Baltimore is not extended to articles  
in the fourth class. As to such articles,  
therefore, the withdrawal of the delivery  
service at Washington without extra  
charge is fully justified as operating to  
remove a discrimination. It is the view  
of the commission, however, that the  
withdrawal of this service at Washington  
moving articles in the first three classes  
moving from New England, New York  
and Philadelphia, so long as it rendered  
to articles in the same classes moving  
from the same points to Baltimore would  
cause an undue discrimination."

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## LOCAL MENTION.

## EXCURSIONS TODAY.

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Steamer Charles Macomber leaves from foot of  
Seventh Street Southwest for Mount Vernon, Annapolis  
and back to Washington, daily, except Sunday, at  
10 A. M. and 12 M. daily.  
To Cherry Chase Lake—Cars from Fifteenth  
Street and New York Avenue every quarter hour.  
Marine Boat leaves from foot of Seventh Street  
Southwest for Mount Vernon and Old Dominion  
Railroad cars every few minutes from Thirtieth  
and M Streets.  
To Mount Vernon—Washington Utilities Company  
cars every hour on the hour from 10 A. M. to 1 P. M.,  
and on Saturdays, Twelfth Street and Pennsylvania  
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except Sunday at 1 P. M.

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## DR. PAGE TO QUIT WRITING.

Will Do No Literary Work While  
He Is Ambassador.

Dr. Thomas Nelson Page, noted author,  
recently appointed Ambassador to Italy,  
said yesterday that he would abandon  
literary work during his term as a mem-  
ber of the Diplomatic Corps of the  
United States.

It was explained by Dr. Page that he  
thought the responsibilities of the new  
office would take all his time. He would  
not agree with the view taken in past  
years that diplomatic posts were desir-  
able for novelists because of the many  
hours of leisure.

It has not been decided when Dr. Page  
will start for Rome. He is to be notified  
by the State Department when it is  
considered desirable that he leave for  
Italy.

ANACOSTIA CITIZENS  
ARE URGING FERRY

Boat Flying Across Eastern Branch  
Would Be of Material Benefit.  
Swimming Pools Proposed.

The question of providing swimming  
pools along the Eastern Branch, near  
Anacostia, for the citizens of the South-  
east section of the District is being  
considered. A special committee of the  
Citizens' Association, headed by Charles  
F. Roberts, soon will visit the proper  
officials to see if arrangements for at  
least two of these pools, one for whites  
and the other for colored swimmers,  
cannot be made while the work of re-  
claiming the flats is in progress.  
Charles R. Burr, president of the  
association, also probably will take  
the matter up with the proper offi-  
cials. One of the pools is desired lo-  
cated in project No. 1, west of the  
bridge, and the other in project No. 2,  
east of the bridge.

Much interest is being manifested in  
the proposition to inaugurate a ferry  
across the Eastern Branch between the  
foot of South Capitol Street in Wash-  
ington to Howard Avenue on the op-  
posite side of the stream. The truck farm-  
ers would be benefited, as it would save  
them a long haul. It also would conve-  
nience employees of the Washington Steel  
and Ordnance Company, citizens of  
Hilldale and Congress Heights, and the  
employees of the Government Hospital  
for the Insane. The suggestion is ad-  
vanced to extend the street railway line  
to the landings.

Salem Lodge, No. 22, Independent Order  
of Odd Fellows, of Anacostia, met  
last night. Plans for the annual excur-  
sion were discussed. J. T. Dent is  
noble grand of this lodge.

The annual meeting of the Epworth  
League of the Congress Heights Metho-  
dist Episcopal Church will be held to-  
night in the Sunday school room. The  
annual election of officers will be held.  
Mr. and Mrs. William Santibury, Jr.,  
of 1577 Minnesota Avenue, last evening  
were given a surprise party on the oc-  
casion of the sixth anniversary of their  
marriage.

## Name of Informant Asked.

The Senate yesterday passed a res-  
olution introduced by Senator Lippitt  
of Rhode Island directing the Sec-  
retary of Commerce to reveal the source  
of information on a recent report on  
cotton goods, in which it is indicated  
that labor is more efficient in Great  
Britain than in the United States.

WHEN IN DOUBT BUY OF  
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